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6. Between 6 and 7 p.m. on 6 January, the obstacle lights on some smoke-stacks in the surrounding of the field were switched on. Three trucks [redacted] occupied by soldiers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets, were observed. Between 9:30 and 11 a.m. on 7 January, trucks [redacted] were observed at the field.<sup>3</sup> At 11:15 a.m., a column of 28 tank trucks with trailers moved on the road from Finsterwalde toward Luckau. The column was headed by one truck and the rear was brought up by two trucks. The latter two trucks [redacted] carried soldiers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets, headsteds, boards and mattresses. Four or five tank trucks [redacted]<sup>4</sup>

7. Between 16 and 21 January, no air activity was observed at the field. The former komendatura building on Schacksdorfer Strasse was occupied by air force soldiers who, according to a worker, had come from Cottbus. A sign-board with the inscription "komendatura" was observed on the Villa Thierack on 20 January. [redacted]

[redacted] Comment. During the reported period, the bomber regiment at Finsterwalde airfield performed only little air activity, probably because of bad weather.

[redacted] Comment. The unloading of billeting equipment on 12 and 14 January and the change of occupation in the Soviet-occupied buildings in Finsterwalde are connected with the transfer from Cottbus to Finsterwalde of the supply unit of the bomber corps of the Twenty-Fourth Air Army. [redacted]

[redacted]. The individual objects are apparently occupied as follows:

- Object 1: Bomber corps headquarters
- Object 2: Messhall and motion picture theater
- Object 3: Quartering facility for members of the bomber corps headquarters
- Object 4: Hospital
- Object 5: Motor vehicle repair shop
- Object 6: Main warehouse and utility shop
- Object 7: Villa Thierack, occupied by komendatura
- Object 8: Supply unit of bomber corps of Twenty-Fourth Air Army
- Object 9: Probably also occupied by supply unit of bomber corps

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25X1 [REDACTED] Comment. The information that the tank truck column proceeded on the Finsterwalde-Luckau road toward Luckau on 7 January indicates that the vehicles moved toward Brand airfield; the shipment may be connected with the transfer of a bomber regiment to Brand which took place at the same time.

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